GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Agriculture & Cooperation Department - Horticulture - Smt.Lingisetty Harika, Ex-Village Horticulture Assistant, Thumuluru (GS), Kollipara(M), Guntur District - Resigned to the post of Village Horticulture Assistant on personal grounds – Request for reappointment in service as Village Horticulture Assistant - Considered - Orders - Issued.

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AGRICULTURE & COOPERATION (H&S) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.34 Dated:25.08.2025.

Read the following:-

1. Representation of Smt.L.Harika, resigned as a Village Horticulture Assistant, Thumuluru (GS), Kollipara(M), dt:nil received through the Hon'ble Minister (Agri.)
2. Govt.Memo.No.AGC01-HORT/265/2024-HS, Dated.29.11.2024, 11.12.2024 & 10.02.2025.
3. Director of Horticulture & Sericulture, AP, Guntur, Lr.No.Estt-I(1)12 /2022, Dated:10.03.2025 & 14.05.2025.

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ORDER:-

In her representation 1st read above, Smt Lingisetty Harika, Ex-Village Horticulture Assistant, Thumuluru Village Secretariat, Kollipara (M), Guntur District has stated that, she has resigned to the post of Village Horticulture Assistant due to tragic and unusual circumstances on personal grounds. Further she has informed that her father is an Ex-Serviceman and working as a small time employee in the postal department and he had to take care of his disabled son and present she has no other earning sources, due to which herself and her family members are suffering a lot for their regular living. Hence, she has requested the Government to take back into service & to provide Village Horticulture Assistant post on humanitarian grounds.

2. In the reference 3rd read above, the Director of Horticulture & Sericulture, A.P., Guntur has stated that, Smt Lingisetty Harika was appointed as Village Horticulture Assistant, Guntur District under Direct Recruitment through District Selection Committee during the year 2019. Accordingly, she has joined as Village Horticulture Assistant, Tumuluru Village Secretariat, Kollipara Mandal on 25.11.2019. Her probation was declared by the Deputy Director of Horticulture, Guntur. She has submitted resignation to the post of Village Horticulture Assistant on personal grounds w.e.f 04.09.2023 AN. Accordingly, the Collector & District Magistrate, Guntur has accepted her resignation as per Rule-30 (a) of Andhra Pradesh State & Subordinate Service Rules, 1996 vide Proc.No.630/2023, Dt.25.09.2023 and she has relieved from the said post.

3. The Director of Horticulture & Sericulture, AP, Guntur has also stated that, after her resignation no recruitment was taken up by the Government for the post of Village Horticulture Assistant. At present there are

(68) vacancies in erstwhile Guntur District. In the instant case Smt L.Harika, Village Horticulture Assistant has resigned due to personal unavoidable circumstances. Accordingly, the District Administration has accepted her resignation. Subsequently, she has submitted a representation for withdrawal of her resignation and to re-consider for reappointment in the service as Village Horticulture Assistant on humanitarian grounds. Further the Director, Horticulture & Sericulture, A.P.,Guntur stated that, in the similar case, the Government reappointed Sri.P.Damodar Rao as Assistant Section Officer as a special case on humanitarian grounds, by invoking Rule 31 of Andhra Pradesh State and Subordinate Service Rules, 1996 duly treating the period of out of service as "dies-non" vide G.O.Ms.No.355, General Administration (SU-II)Department, dt:03.07.2010. Therefore the Director, Horticulture & Sericulture, A.P.,Guntur has requested to take necessary action on the request of Smt Lingisetty Harika for reappointment as Village Horticulture Assistant.

4. After careful examination of the matter, Government, hereby re-appoint Smt Lingisetty Harika as Village Horticulture Assistant as a special case on humanitarian grounds, by invoking Rule 31 of Andhra Pradesh State & Subordinate Service Rules, 1996 duly treating the period of out of service as "dies-non".

5. The Director of Horticulture & Sericulture, A.P., Guntur shall take further necessary action accordingly in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

B RAJSEKHAR
EX-OFFICIO SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Director of Horticulture & Sericulture, A.P., Guntur(w.e.)
The individual (Through DoH&S, A.P., Guntur)
The Collector & District Magistrate, Guntur.

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The General Administration (Ser.C) Department
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SECTION OFFICER